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## PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7.

The SPEAKER took the chair at half-past 4 o'clock.

## NEW RAILWAY APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. MELVILLE desired to call the attention of the Minister for Railways to a paragraph published in one of the evening papers in the effect that two appointments had been made by the Railway Commissioners of gentlemen—one from England and one from New South Wales—to be sent to inspect the railways. He wished to enquire from the Minister for Railways whether he had been consulted in any shape or form in reference to the matter.

Mr. BURNS said that the Railway Act vested the management of the railways in the Commissioners, and the intention of Parliament was that the Commissioners should appoint such officers as they thought fit. He said that the Commissioners had been engaged in travelling to different stations and ascertaining what the requirements of the service were, with a view to giving the best possible result to the public, and in connection with their journey they came to the conclusion that they would require the services of two gentlemen of special character. These appointments would be made by the Commissioners. There was no question involved in that matter of the exercise of patronage by the Government. The Commissioners were almost exclusively engaged in the management of the railways, and at their request those two appointments had been made. [Mr. MELVILLE: Who are they?] He did not know the names of the two gentlemen who had been appointed.

Mr. LYNE wished to know whether in respect to those appointments the requirements of the third section of the Railway Act had been complied with. That section provided that the Commissioners should have the power to appoint to any position or grade such persons as they thought fit, and that they should have the power to remove any person appointed to any position or grade. Mr. BURNS said that there was no person in the railway service at the present time who was not appointed to his position by the Commissioners. He said that the Commissioners had been engaged in travelling to different stations and ascertaining what the requirements of the service were, with a view to giving the best possible result to the public, and in connection with their journey they came to the conclusion that they would require the services of two gentlemen of special character. These appointments would be made by the Commissioners. There was no question involved in that matter of the exercise of patronage by the Government. The Commissioners were almost exclusively engaged in the management of the railways, and at their request those two appointments had been made. [Mr. MELVILLE: Who are they?] He did not know the names of the two gentlemen who had been appointed.

Mr. MELVILLE asked whether provision was made on the present estimates for the salaries of those two gentlemen.

Mr. BURNS said that the Estimates for the railway service this year had been made out in accordance with the practice that prevailed in Victoria, where the Commissioners were allowed to take salaries of £1,000 and £1,200, and that in his judgment they should be allowed the same.

Mr. MELVILLE wished to know what was the amount of salary those gentlemen were to receive.

Mr. BURNS could not at the present moment state the amount. Those salaries had been fixed by the Commissioners.

Mr. MELVILLE: They are not "fixed," and you don't get the money "fixed."

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press by the hon. member. While the Commissioners' duties and powers were clearly defined in the Act, still the House had the control of the railways. [Mr. MELVILLE: The hon. member said that the representatives of the people would not consent to the representatives of the people being controlled by the representatives of the people.] The House was entitled to the fullest information regarding the management of the railways.

Mr. J. P. ARBUTHNOTT objected to the House having no discretion in the voting of the estimates. The details of the estimates had been before the House. Was it thought that the House had no right to vote on the estimates? He thought that it would have been a million and three-quarters of money to spend as they liked. They had a right to know how the money was to be spent, and he hoped that the House would be able to do so.

Mr. MELVILLE said that a lamentable mistake had been made in the appointment of the Chief Commissioner from England. He objected to the Commissioners raising the question of the salaries of the Commissioners. Our own men would have to teach the Commissioners the way to manage the lines.

Mr. P. SMITH rose to a point of order. A discussion on the merits of the Railway Commissioners was not in order.

Mr. CAMERON said that the discussion was in order. Mr. MELVILLE said that the only thing he had got for his money was a black and white paper. He had been told that the House would be able to vote on the estimates, but he had been told that the House would be able to vote on the estimates. He had been told that the House would be able to vote on the estimates, but he had been told that the House would be able to vote on the estimates.

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stay in the office. It was said these inspectors were to receive small salaries only. Were competent men to be brought out at small salaries to provide over incompetent men at large ones?

Mr. HENRY PARKES: That is exactly what I never said.

Mr. WANT: You said there were men in the Department who were not competent to do the work. And these men were to be brought out at small salaries to provide over incompetent men at large ones?

Mr. HENRY PARKES: Nothing of the sort.

Mr. WANT: He had never obstructed the Government, but he was prepared to sit there to the last until the Government was satisfied.

Mr. GARRATT continued to say that Mr. Fehon had been misinterpreted. He was a little misinterpreted, but he was not a misinterpreted man. He was a little misinterpreted, but he was not a misinterpreted man.

Mr. WANT: We both have a similar bill then. Mr. GARRATT admitted that the Estimates should not be passed without the fullest information, although the railways were now in the hands of Commissioners.

Mr. DIBBS: Not to vote the money.

Mr. GARRATT: The Government would always retain that power in its hands. The inspectors to be appointed—one for the maintenance branch and the other for the traffic—were to be immediately under the control of the Commissioners. But why was not the hon. member's orders were properly carried out. They would be men who could be trusted with the work of making an inspection and sending in reports. Mr. Fehon said that there were no officers of the service who could do this.

Mr. SCHRY: I know nothing of the kind. I know a dozen who could do it.

Mr. GARRATT said that if there was any truth in the accusations made against Mr. Fehon, he never would have been brought out at small salaries to provide over incompetent men at large ones.

Mr. WANT: A single letter put into the *Herald* might have prevented the appointment. Fortunately, the power of the press was not exercised in this way to prevent this irresponsible body—the Railway Commission—from doing any great wrong to the people of this country.

Mr. HENRY PARKES said that he deemed it his duty, in the most respectful manner possible, to state, in the most respectful manner possible, that he did not believe that there was any circumstance that justified the hon. member for Gunderland in making the imputation which he had made against Mr. Fehon. He believed that Mr. Fehon was a man of high character and high ability, and that he was a man of high character and high ability.

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men here would have made good commissioners to set with Mr. Fehon.

Mr. WANT: He said that he was away from the colony when Mr. Fehon was appointed. When he returned he wrote out a vote of censure, which he intended to move, and he mentioned the matter to a member of the Ministry. The only reason he did not move it was because he thought it would be interfering with the government of the country.

On looking into the matter he was convinced that Mr. Fehon could not be suspended excepting for some act connected with his office. He had accepted office, and he was back again in his old position.

The postponement of the railway estimates was then agreed to.

On the estimate, public instruction £602,788.

Mr. MOORE asked why there was an increase in the estimate of large bush schools.

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**Christmas cards.** The nicknacks and laces are also collec-

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## COUNTRY NEWS.

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**COROWA, FRIDAY.**  
 and of sheep directors was held  
 a variety of matters  
 vacant. For the position of  
 by the death of Mr. R.  
 the board decided to recommend  
 pointment of Mr. J. T. Lee, late

**GOULBURN, FRIDAY.**  
 ab hold a race meeting early in  
 spring to the grass. More is

**GRENFELL, FRIDAY.**  
 and only 17 pints. The weather  
 hot.

**GUNDAGUI, FRIDAY.**  
 ay, a little boy aged three years,

past few days has been fright-  
ing up to 100° in the shade.

**GUNNEDAH, FRIDAY.**  
ably warm. The glass registered  
Rain is badly needed.  
sed off quietly. The attendance

**KEMPSEY, FRIDAY.**  
d Charles Satchell died at the  
schoolroom during

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY. The past week has almost evaporated in the rain. The rain, recorded in the last month, gives a total of which fell on 31 different days. The period of the year of the heaviest deficiency up to the end of November is 83 points. More rain fell in of last year than we have had.

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY. December 1st the A. A. Company of the Co-operative 6225 tons, and the Baptist Church, Newcastle, of of a pastor, have received a bequest of £407 was raised and promised today last. The new church will cost £4000.

At 10.30 last

the destination? The lowered snow is covering heavy flocks of waterfowl, but weather is again hot. The Latin train was three-quarters of an hour detained at Pont's Ferry. The Chesapeake train broke down at the valve of the engine breaking down hours late. The wool received here during the week in Morpher \$184 bales. The re from June to November 30 is about 29,757 bales, making a total increase on the same period of 1884 of 2,000 bales. The wool is going on rapidly.

WARRIALDA, FRIDAY.  
This afternoon, during which 45

WILCANNIA, FRIDAY.  
A warm and close. There have been a few rains in the neighbourhood of Wilcannia. From time to time there are showers in different places, but in the 40 points.

WINDSOR, FRIDAY.  
Lectured to a large audience on the occasion. Mr. G. C. John Cotton spoke over an hour and was applauded. At the end of the lecture, several questions to the lecturer, and the organization as little short of

WULLONGONG, FRIDAY.—At some time past the Bulli Coal Mining Co. Ltd. at the foot of the main line for a coal seam supposed to be present known and worked. The efforts have been rewarded by the discovery of a seam of excellent coal. This discovery has been made in its way and within a few days. It has always been coal existed under these known main line. It was the first attempt to turn the lower

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Mr. W. Wynter and 2 children (rhy),  
Mr. D. Kames (Tumbago),  
Mr. J. Robinson (Big Springs), Mr. and  
Mrs. Henry Tom (Quebec-  
town), P. Williams (Malbourn), T. A.  
Mary, on Friday): S. Walker  
Bathurst, Mrs. Merrifield (Don-  
n M'Lean (Aberdeen, N. S. W.),  
Mr. W. Smith (Quebec), F.  
Mr. and Mrs. M., Mrs. M. and  
A. M'William (Covers), Miss  
Kinnon, Master Fred. M'Kin-  
ners. H. C. Fraser, Miss Fraser,  
Mrs. John Shaw and infant, J.  
Mrs. Whitelaw (Sydney), W.

Mrs. Carey, W. Spiller, Miss King, Sonior, Miss senior, Mr. J. O'Donnell, T. Hall, W. H. Jones, J. L. Boudreaux, Mrs. V. N. George, J. G. Allen, Dr. J. C. Ellis (Sydney), J. Charney, R. F. Ranton, G. T. Wiggan, M. Turner, W. Grander, H. Boyd, E. A. Williams, M. C. C. Brown, P., P.J. Hollingdale (Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris (Burwood), A. Gard (Juno), J. Crockett, J. and J. (London), M. Munro (St. Kilda), W. Price, J. Murdoch (Strathfield), C. E. Ascroft (Darlington), Ascroft Campbelltown), W. W. Dobbin

TENTERFIELD, FRIDAY.  
Mrs. M. S. Browne (Petersham),

John, R. Marshall, M.P. and Mrs.  
Miss Easton, Mrs. T. Curphy,  
(J. Garriks, E. J. Judd, John  
Courage), Sir C. Lilly, Lady Lilly,  
F. W. Weston (Brisbane), Russell  
F. W. Robinson, M. W. Robinson  
Parry (Newcastle), Thos. Cahill  
, Mr. and Mrs. D. M'Nab (Bris-  
bane), Mrs. Allan, Miss  
R. Hudson and child (Warwick),  
s Creek, J. H. England, John  
Kenion, Mrs. Dalglish (Thor-  
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branch of the Irish Land League determined upon the

murder of Viscount Mountmorres. He had consented

to assist in the crime, but eventually declined. Sir

Charles Russell, in cross-examination, failed to shake

this testimony.

The Colonial Treasurer stated in the House yester-

day that the Railway Commissioners had decided

that it was necessary for two travelling inspectors to travel

over the lines of the colony. The Commissioners had

power to appoint such officers, who were now on their

way to the colony.

A bill was submitted to the Assembly yesterday

which declared void an amended alignment of East-

street, in this city.

Sir GEORGE LYNNE, as a Supreme Court Judge, has

been granted 12 months' leave of absence on full salary,

beginning on January 1st next.

Last night Mrs. Eddy, wife of the Chief Railway

Commissioner, distributed the prizes won at the recent

examination of members of the New South Wales

Railway Ambulance Association.

M. PARKER has forwarded an interesting communi-

cation to the Chief Inspector of Stock on chicken-

cholera experiment, a literal translation of which is

published in this morning's Herald.

REPLYING to a deputation yesterday respecting the

removal of the Tamworth L. & D. Board office to Gun-

nah, the Minister for Lands said in dealing with the

question his object would be to study economy without

sacrificing the public interest.

SIR HENRY PARKES, in reply to a deputation, which

interviewed him yesterday, said he would give full

attention to the proposed sewerage system and water

supply for Manly.

Last night a man whose name is unknown was

killed near Waterloo, on the Illawarra line, by a

goods train.

The recently formed National Scripture Education

League in Melbourne protests against the exclusion of

the Bible from the State school system.

A MEMORIAL of the Master Printers Association and

other master printers held in Adelaide supported the

action taken by the proprietors of the Register in their

refusal to renege a discharged employee, and de-

scribed the conduct of the Typographical Society in

the matter as most arbitrary.

ANOTHER section of the railway from Port Darwin

is now opened as far as Burundi. The contractors

hope to complete the line as far as Pine's Creek by

August next.

The English mail by the Orient Company's steamer

Orient was received yesterday, with London dates to

the 2nd ultimo.

SEVERAL rains have fallen in the Northern Terri-

tory, allowing all farms to supply a water supply

required for mining and pastoral pursuits.

It is estimated that the expenditure of South

Australia next year will be nearly £18,000 in excess of

the revenue, the only way to balance which, is

said to be considerable taxation or rigid economy.

YESTERDAY afternoon the Legislative Council of

South Australia was prorogued until January 23

next.

Last night the coastal steamer Lawrence, from the

Clarence River to Sydney, broke down, was taken to

port by a passing steamer, and brought safely into

port.

The Newspaper Libel Act Amendment Bill of

West Australia has received the Governor's assent.

The Queensland Government intend to make full

inquiry into the case of Wilson, sentenced to 12

months' imprisonment by Mr. Justice Cooper for

writing a letter to the Port Denison Times commenting

on the divorce suit of Buckland v. Buckland.

MR. J. M. MACDONALD, Minister for Works and

Mines, has been appointed as a representative of

Queensland at the Federal Council of Australia.

Rem deposits of bismuth have been found 120 miles

inland from Bowen, North Queensland. The ore con-

tains from 50 to 85 per cent. of metal.

At the Brisbane aquatic carnival, yesterday the con-

tests resulted in Seale and Maitland being hoisted for

alleged unfairness towards Beach. Beach was awarded

the heat, and received hearty plaudits from the spec-

tators.

The results of the heat already rowed at the Bris-

bane Aquatic Carnival, between Seale and Maitland to

row against Beach and Kemp for the chief prize.

The chief discussion in the Assembly last

night was upon the new Railway manage-

ment. It was inevitable that there should be a

debate at some time or other on the

appointment of the Railway Com-

missioners and their policy, and now we

have one which, if it does not furnish

much that is new and interesting to

the public, will have the benefit, no doubt,

of relieving the minds of the Opposi-

tion. The discussion arose in this wise:

The attention of the MINISTER was called in

the early part of the evening to the fact that

a rumour was abroad regarding the appoint-

ment of two travelling inspectors on the Rail-

ways, one having been chosen from England

and one from America, by the Commissioners,

and the question was asked whether this was

true, and whether the salaries of these gentle-

men were provided for in the Estimates. Mr.

BURNS said that the rumour was true, and

that the salaries were provided for, as was

suggested, though they did not appear owing

to the fact that the Estimates for Railway

services for this year were made out in accor-

dance with the practice that prevailed in Vic-

toria, where the Commissioners were allowed

to take general votes and redistribute them

as in their judgment they thought best. In

the discussion upon the Estimates the

appointment of the two inspectors

came up for criticism, and it was con-

tended that men from our own service should

be appointed to the positions, and that the

Commissioners were not abiding by the terms

of the 63rd section of the Act, which provides

that no appointment shall be made of persons

not in the Railway service unless the Com-

missioners "shall have previously certified

under their seal to the Governor that there

is no person in the Railway service fit and

qualified to be promoted to such appoint-

ment, and shall have obtained his sanction

to such appointment." The PREMIER said that

these conditions had been complied with,

inasmuch as the Commissioners had sub-

mitted to him that there was no one in the

Railway service fitted for the position who

would take it at the salary, and it was

decided, with his consent, that two officers

should be chosen after the manner which has

now been made public.

It would seem that the Commissioners,

so far as they are concerned, have done

the best they could under the circum-

stances. It is not quite reasonable to pass

an Act entrusting the management of the

Railways to Commissioners, and then to find

fault with them for doing their best to make

the service effective, and to carry out the

terms of the Act. Of course, if the Com-

missioners sent to England or America

for men to do work that could be

done as effectively by men already

in the service, their action would

be open to criticism; but it appears in this

case that they first tried to fill the position

properly from the Railway service here, and,

failing this, went abroad for the officers. The

Commissioners should be allowed the exercise

of their judgment. No one supposes that,

because we have made the management of our

Railways non-political, it has been made ir-

responsible. The larger the liberty allowed the

Commissioners the more justly will their

actions be



persons in the service who could fill the positions of these inspectors were receiving higher salaries than those officers who were not.

Mr. Wain followed the Premier, and denounced the appointment of the inspectors and also the appointment of Mr. Fehon, as one of the Commissioners. He affirmed that Mr. Fehon had been concerned in certain transactions, when he was Attorney-General, that would have justified a prosecution. When subsequently called upon to explain why he did not prosecute, he said it was because he could not catch Mr. Fehon. Further on, he explained that Mr. Fehon could not get complete legal proof. Sir Henry Parkes said the hon. member's statement was contradicted by the Premier of Victoria, but after what had been said he should feel compelled to call upon Mr. Fehon to show cause why steps should not be taken to remove him from his office as Commissioner, and that gentleman would have to disprove the charges made against him. He had the utmost confidence that Mr. Fehon would be able to clear himself. The discussion was continued by Messrs. Farnell, Walker, J. P. Abbott, Garland, Black, Joseph Abbott, and O'Sullivan, after which the postponement of the railway estimates was agreed to, and the Committee, at 2 minutes to 11, proceeded to business.

At about 11 o'clock the committee commenced to deal with the Estimates, and shortly before 1 o'clock managed to get through the votes for the Public Instruction Department. These were all carried, after much debate, without any reduction. At five minutes to 1 o'clock the House adjourned until Tuesday.

The Public Works Committee have visited Hornsby, and on Monday next they are about to visit the Holt-Sutherland Estate, to inquire into the losses lately carried out by the unemployed.

New time tables are coming into operation on the 1st of January. Very radical alterations will be found on all the suburban trains. The time of journey will materially be shortened. On the suburban lines Burwood will probably be made the terminus point of the suburban traffic. The trains will run at very frequent intervals, calling at every station between Sydney and Burwood. It is understood that Strathfield is to be made the first stopping place for trains running beyond Burwood and between that point and Liverpool and Penrith.

SIR GEORGE INNES, Supreme Court Judge, has been granted twelve months' leave of absence, beginning from January 1st next, on full salary. Arrangements have been made to distribute his work amongst the other Supreme Court Judges, including the Judges in Equity and Bankruptcy, so that it will not be necessary to appoint a sitting Judge to officiate during his absence. The absence of Sir George will be for twelve months, the following minutes:—Finally approved by Cabinet in consideration of the leave granted to Mr. Justice Windeyer, who had served as a Judge about the same period as Mr. Justice Innes. At the same time, decision arrived at that, in any application from the Judges of the Supreme Court in future, leave should not be granted for a longer period than six months on full salary, and for a longer period than twelve months on half salary.

At the Intercolonial Postal Conference held in Sydney in January last, it was agreed that arrangements should be made with the Imperial Post Office for the exchange of post-cards between the Australian colonies and the United Kingdom, and also that the rate of postage on letters sent by what is now termed the long sea route—that is, conveyed all the way between Adelaide and Great Britain by mail packet instead of being landed at Italy and conveyed thence to destination by railway—should be 4d. per letter, being 3d. per letter less than the postage chargeable by the quicker route overland, via Italy.

The Postmaster-General (Mr. Roberts) has been in communication with the London postal authorities on the subject, and it is now definitely arranged that from the 1st January next post cards may be sent from this colony to the United Kingdom at 2d. each by the long sea route, and 3d. each by the overland route via Italy. From the same date letters may be sent to the United Kingdom by the long sea route at 4d. per letter. It is believed that the reduction of postage thus afforded will be largely appreciated by the people of Australia and Great Britain.

Mr. J. H. CARPENTERS, M.L.A., in receipt of a communication from the Water Supply and Sewerage Department, in reply to a request made by that gentleman, regarding the necessity of a water main to be laid along the railway line from Tempe, for the purpose of supplying the suburbs of Rockdale, Kogarah, and Hurstville, and the reply that the board has no objection to lay the main applied for, and will erect the necessary standpipes when the pipes arrive.

Our London correspondent in his letter, which we publish this morning, deals with the proceedings of the Parnell Commission and the evidence of Captain O'Shea, the main features of which referred to the active part taken by Mr. Chamberlain in the negotiations for the release of Mr. Parnell. Lord Harington's speech at Huddersfield, Mr. Pritchard Morgan's success at Merthyr Tydfil. The merchant brokers and Australian trade, the efforts of Mr. Spurgeon's mission in connection with the Baptist Union, and the Canadian-Pacific cable scheme, are noticed by our correspondent.

A gas explosion took place at the new Town Hall, Rockdale, on Wednesday afternoon, about 5 p.m., causing considerable damage, bringing down the ceiling in several places and blowing out some of the windows. It appears there was a leakage in the gas pipe above the ceiling; the plumber, whilst looking for the escape, struck a light, when the escaped gas exploded, causing a loud noise. The architect (Mr. E. A. Scott) and the council clerk (Thomas Loder) attended at the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, when a claim for the damage was made. The company's adjuster has since visited the Town Hall, with the valuator, who estimated the damage at £24 or £25 and salvage.

Mr. SIDNEY DICKINSON is at present completing a course of lectures on art in its various branches, to be delivered in the Art Gallery. These lectures, which are being prepared at the request of the trustees of the Art Gallery, and will be given gratuitously to the public, are intended to prove highly interesting and instructive to students and lovers of art generally. The date upon which the lectures will be delivered will be duly announced.

At the last meeting of the Canterbury Municipal Council the inspector of nuisances reported that in numerous instances the householders had no drinking-water, and as a consequence they were compelled to use the water from Cook's River. In consequence of the pollution of the river at various points, he considered that unless prompt steps were taken to have the water mains extended to the borough, a serious nuisance would be produced. After a long discussion, the Mayor was empowered to see the matter on the Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.

The foundation-stone of the memorial statue of the late Rev. John Dunmore Lang, D.D., will be laid in Wynyard-square this afternoon by His Excellency the Governor. Mr. Wm. Nell, chairman of the executive committee, will preside, and Sir Henry Parkes, Sir John Robertson, the Hon. George Thornton, and Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.A., will deliver addresses. The Sydney Scotch Rides will form a guard of honour, and there will be music by the bands of the forces. The holders of tickets for the chairs fronting the platform, as well as those appointed to take part in the meeting, will enter through the Margaret-street gate. A company of Highlanders will form a guard of honour, and a military band will be in attendance. The general public will enter from York-street and Carrington-street.

It is proposed by the Sydney City Mission to provide the really deserving poor of this city with means to enjoy a Christmas dinner in their own homes. The proposal is to supply privately the necessary materials. Past experience appears to have proved that the public and semi-public Christmas feasts do not benefit the most deserving persons, because they will not face the odium of partaking of a charity dinner. By the method proposed it is expected that the deserving but unostentatious will receive the aid it is intended to confer.

Care of horses, cattle, and sheep are reminded that returns of their stock must be made before the end of the present month, under the Diseases in Sheep Act, the Pastures and Stock Protection Acts, and the Rabbit Nuisance Act. Under the Pastures and Stock Protection Acts all persons keeping horses, cattle, and sheep are required to make a return to the inspector of

stock for the sheep districts in which they are kept, under a penalty of £20. In the Sydney sheep district, which embraces the metropolitan police district and the police districts of Parramatta, Liverpool, and Campbelltown, returns should be forwarded to the Inspector of Stock, Department of Mines, Phillip-street, Sydney, from whom the necessary forms are obtainable.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for a farewell picnic, on the 15th instant, to Mr. John See, M.L.A., and Mrs. See, who are about to leave shortly on a trip to England. A committee of well-known gentlemen are making all necessary arrangements for the entertainment, which will be a very pleasant method of expressing the goodwill of Mr. and Mrs. See's numerous friends.

His Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer sat in Divorce yesterday morning, and dealt with the case of Lalrymp v. Lalrymp. The application, which was one to make absolute the decree nisi for dissolution of marriage, was brought forward on the previous day, but adjourned at the instance of the respondent, Mr. Pilecher, Q.C., who was heard in his behalf; but His Honor held that the case could not be reopened, as respondent had appeared at all in the suit, could not obtain a rehearing six months after the decree nisi had been granted. The decree for dissolution of the marriage was therefore made absolute, and an order was also made that petitioner should have the custody of the children.

The action *Sani v. Ternight*, after occupying the Bench Court for about four days, was brought to a conclusion yesterday, the jury finding in favour of the plaintiff with damages £276 4s. The next action, *Pedriani and others v. McQuade*, was undefended. It was a claim made by the plaintiffs, who carry on business as the Balmain Engineering Company, to recover from Frederick McQuade the sum of £204 15s. 2d. for repairs effected by them to the defendant's steam engine.

A verdict was given for the plaintiff, and speedy execution was granted. The next case—*Goodwin v. Ricketts*—was somewhat peculiar in several respects. In the first place, the plaintiff, who was styled in the declaration Australia Jubilee Goodwin, appeared to conduct his own case, and quickly demonstrated that, as far as he was concerned, there was very little in a name after all. He asked for a solution of the meaning of the name, and the court, after some discussion, finally, maliciously, and without reasonable and probable cause, prosecuted him on a charge, which was subsequently dismissed, of appropriating a cheque for £2. According to plaintiff's opening statement to the jury, it appears that he sent the cheque, with his own signature attached, to defendant, with a request that he would cash it. This plaintiff did, and plaintiff affirmed that had Ricketts cashed the cheque without delay, there would have been funds to meet it, but that defendant having passed it on to another tradesman in the ordinary course of business, it went from hand to hand and did not reach its ultimate destination for several weeks. In the meantime plaintiff had withdrawn his account, and when the document reached the bank cashier there were no funds to meet it. Defendant then handed it to plaintiff, who destroyed it, whereupon defendant proceeded against him for misappropriating the plaintiff's valuable cheque. As plaintiff conducted his own case and was opposed by a gentleman "learned in the law," he naturally broke down at the outset and was nonsuited, his Honor remarking that it would have been more prudent on plaintiff's part to have retained a solicitor.

A MATTER of some interest was brought under the notice of Mr. Justice Foster yesterday in chambers. It concerned a recent case named *Northampton v. Northampton*, in which the defendant was charged with committing a breach of the Sale of Poisons Act by selling "Rough on Rats" without inquiring the name, occupation, and residence of the purchaser, also the purpose for which the poison was required, and without entering a record of the transaction as the second section provided. He was fined 40s., and it was now sought to set the decision aside by prohibition, on the ground that the defendant, who had been found to be a tradesman, should be made when sales took place of poisons mentioned in the first part of schedule A, and as "Rough on Rats" was entered in part 2 of the same schedule, the section did not apply, and the conviction was bad. The Crown, though represented, did not argue the matter, and the prohibition was granted, with costs. In No. 1 Jury Court, before Mr. Justice Windeyer, the jury in the action *Hughes v. Blunt* returned a verdict for the plaintiff, who had been injured whilst in the defendant's employ, for £321. In No. 2 Jury Court, before Mr. Justice Foster, the jury in the action *Moffatt v. Bell* returned a verdict for the plaintiff for £268. In *Lazarus v. Sutton* and others His Honor granted a nonsuit.

This trial of Louisa Collins for the alleged murder of her husband, Michael Peter Collins, at Botany, on the 8th of July last, was continued yesterday at the Central Criminal Court, before His Honor the Chief Justice. The evidence in the case was completed shortly after 4 o'clock. Mr. Lusk addressed the jury at some length for the accused, and Mr. Heydon replied on behalf of the Crown. The Court then adjourned until half-past 9 o'clock this morning, at which time His Honor will commence his summing up.

BETWEEN 2 and 3 o'clock on Thursday morning the clerk in charge of the railway ticket office at Ashfield heard faint steps at the window of the office in the station premises. At the same moment a slight knocking was perceptible. Snatching a heavy ruler, the clerk, W. Law, opened the door. The would-be robber decamped, but was chased some distance by Law, who was left in the rear. Upon examination of the platform, which has recently been asphalted and covered with sand, the prints of the man's bare feet were plainly visible in the sand.

The meeting of the friends of the late Right Hon. W. B. Dalley, called by Sir John Robertson, to take preliminary steps towards the erection of a memorial, will be held at the Royal Hotel, half-past 8 on Monday next. We understand that the venerable friend of the late right hon. gentleman who has summoned the meeting is to preside, and that a large and representative attendance is expected.

We are requested to call attention to the advertisement respecting the welcome to the prime minister this afternoon at St. Paul's College.

The Bishop of Bathurst will preach in St. Andrew's Cathedral to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock, on the subject, "The Prime Minister." The Prime Minister will deliver the first of a series of lectures dealing with the chief utterances of the Lambeth conference. The Prime Minister will also preach at the evening service, his subject being, "The Advent to the World."

The following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral to-morrow—Morning, 10:10: Te Deum, Sanctus, in F; Anthem, "The Lord is great in Zion" (Westminster); Afternoon, 3:15: Nunc, in D minor; and Evening, 8:15: Nunc, in D minor. (Quiescent.)

ALL the churches of the Congregational order in Sydney intend to have collections at the morning and evening services on Sunday next for the hospitals.

## THE ELECTIONS IN SERBIA.

### GREAT RADICAL MAJORITY.

(BY CABLE.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 7.

The elections in Serbia have resulted in an enormous increase in the Radical majority.

## FIRES IN MELBOURNE.

### MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

A fire occurred in King-street early this morning on the premises owned by the Melbourne Coal Shipping and Engineering Company, Limited. The fire was mostly confined to the fourth story, occupied by Mr. F. R. Mitchell, an importer of printers' requisites. The whole floor with the contents and the roof of the building were destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mitchell is insured for £2000 in the Commercial Union.

Four cottages were destroyed by fire at Richmond this morning. The fire brigades attended, but a bed pressure of water considerably militated against their efforts to cope with the flames.

## FRY'S COCOA.

1725-1888.—For over 160 years the firm of Messrs. J. S. Fry & Sons have been the leading Cocoa and Chocolate Manufacturers in the world.—[ADV.]

## EUROPEAN CABLEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

### THE IRISH HOLDINGS ACT.

LONDON, Dec. 7.

In the House of Lords last night, the bill for the extension of Lord Ashbourne's Irish Holdings Act, providing for the advance of money to tenants desirous of purchasing their holdings, was finally passed.

### SYMPATHY WITH MR. JOHN DILLON.

LONDON, Dec. 7.

An address has been presented to Mr. John Dillon, M.P., for East Mayo, by 150 Liberal members of the House of Commons, expressing sympathy with him at what they regard as the unwarranted sentence of six months' imprisonment passed upon Mr. Dillon in June last, for having publicly advocated the "plan of campaign."

### THE ILLNESS OF MR. JOHN BRIGHT.

LONDON, Dec. 7.

The Right Hon. John Bright is hourly getting weaker.

### THE AFRICAN SLAVE TRADE.

LONDON, Dec. 7.

It is rumored that Great Britain is about to convene an international conference to consider the best means of suppressing the slave trade in Africa.

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LONDON, Dec. 7.

The German authorities have informed a number of French officials that their presence in Germany is undesirable.

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(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 7.

Signor Crispi, the Italian Premier, announced in the Senate that the relations of Italy with France were at present of a cordial nature, but at the same time the special position which Italy occupied compelled her to perfect her armaments.

### THE TIMES-PARNELL COMMISSION.

(BY CABLE.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

At the sitting of the Times-Parnell Commission to-day, an Irish peasant named Burke, who was examined, deposed that the Clonbar branch of the League determined upon the murder of Viscount Mountmorres. He was invited to assist in the crime, and half consented to do so, but he eventually declined to have anything to do with the matter. The same night a companion told him that the murder had been effected.

Sir Charles Russell, counsel for the Parnellites, subjected the witness to a severe cross-examination, but failed to shake his testimony in its main features.

### DISCOVERY OF BISMUTH IN NORTH QUEENSLAND.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

Rich deposits of bismuth have recently been discovered in North Queensland. Dr. Tarrant and Dr. Flatau, of Sydney, were shown some rich specimens of carbonate of this metal, which had been found at a place about 120 miles inland from Bowen.

They decided to visit the scene of the discovery. They found that a reef of ore could be traced on the surface for about 100 yards, and a shaft had been put down 35ft. in the solid stone without any sign of the reef coming to an end. The ore which is pure carbonate of bismuth, contains 50 to 85 per cent of metal. After spending two days in examining the stone Dr. Tarrant and Flatau, of Sydney, who had purchased the property, returned to Brisbane yesterday, bringing with them about 20wt. of ore, which they are taking to Sydney for treatment by Elliott Bros. Dr. Tarrant is going to England shortly, and it is the intention of the proprietors of the mine to obtain a patent of the mine, and send it in that form to Bowen, whence it will be shipped to London.

### RAILWAY FROM PALMERSTON TO PINE CREEK.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PORT DARWIN, FRIDAY.

Another section of the railway has been completed and opened for traffic to Burrandine, 124 miles from Port Darwin. The line runs very smoothly. The first train crossed the Adelaide River bridge on Monday last. The bridge is a splendid structure, reflecting the greatest credit on the engineering skill of the firm. The bridge is thoroughly strong for the line. Millar and Co. are the contractors for the line. The earthwork is in an advanced state towards Pine Creek. The contractors hope to complete and hand over the line in August next. The approaching wet season will retard work for a few months. Mr. C. G. Millar goes south in the *Changaba* on the 12th.

### SCRIPTURE EDUCATION LEAGUE IN VICTORIA.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The National Scripture Education League, which is the outcome of a meeting recently held under the presidency of the Bishop of Melbourne, has issued a manifesto embodying the opinions of the league. The league is circulating it, and is making every effort to secure members and enlist public support. The manifesto protests against the exclusion of the Bible from the State school system, maintaining that its exclusion has the effect of creating a prejudice against it as a book that children ought to be made familiar with. They should also be taught the leading parts of the Old and New Testaments, and the text of the elementary portion of the Bible. Such instruction, it was pointed out, could be imparted by any State school teacher, and the league would have such instruction carefully guarded by a conscience clause.

### BALLOONING.

When either Baldwin or Williams go up in the balloon, they always take a flask of Walker's Whisky to drink the health of the gods.—[ADV.]

## INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

### VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

At a meeting of the Fitzroy branch of the Australian Natives' Association, held on Tuesday evening, the following resolution was carried, with only one dissenting vote:—"That in the opinion of this branch it is undesirable at the present time to make any alteration in the method of appointing colonial Governors." All the speakers condemned the action of the Queensland Government as being very hasty and impolitic, and they spoke highly of the Governors of the various colonies.

The attendance at the Exhibition to-day numbered 8764. A successful entertainment was given in the concert-hall to about 1000 scholars of the Roman Catholic primary schools of Melbourne and suburbs. It is expected that similar entertainments will be given to the children of the State schools.

During the past few days the Customs-house detectives have made several seizures of indecent photographs from itinerant hawkers in the streets of the city. Numbers of these photographs were sold to children. The Agents-General have forwarded the correspondence to the Premier in reference to the transport of a consignment of his wife and two children to Victoria, whether he was sent with the aid of funds raised by the residents of St. Albans, and a grant of £10 from the rates of the town. It was stated that some members of the family in Queensland were prepared to receive and maintain them. Sir Graham Berry strongly protested on behalf of the Government against the course pursued by the guardians of St. Albans' Union.

About 9 o'clock yesterday morning Richard Drake, aged 54, furniture warehouseman, was found by his son in an unconscious condition in his place of business in Queensberry-street, North Melbourne. There was a strong smell of gas in the room, which was closed, but not locked. The gas was escaping from one of the burners, which was turned on, in the room. The unfortunate man remained unconscious till death ensued at an early hour this morning.

To-day James Nimmo, a young man, who had been about a year in the colony, employed as an oiler by the Tramway Company, was engaged in oiling a cable down a manhole close to the intersection of Swanston and Minder streets. While getting out of the manhole a St. Klida train which was passing along struck him and knocked him back into the manhole. He sustained a compound fracture of the skull, the base of which was smashed, resulting in almost instant death.

The Rev. W. E. Addis, son of the Rev. M. V. Addis, of the Presbyterian Free Church at Morningide, Scotland, and for some years a Roman Catholic priest in the oratory of Brompton and at Sydneyham, has accepted an appointment as assistant to the Rev. Dr. Strong, minister of the Australian Church.

A special meeting of timber merchants and sawmill owners was held to-day to consider the demand of the amalgamated carpenters and joiners for reductions in the hours of work to 44 a week, and other matters affecting the trade. It was unanimously resolved to adhere to the existing rules of 48 hours per week. An agreement to that effect was signed by about 40 employers.

The Melbourne Grammar School team of cricketers have for Sydney to-morrow to play two matches, one against Newington College on Tuesday, and the other against the Sydney Grammar School on Thursday and Friday next.

### QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

The Hon. J. M. Macrossan has been appointed as the representative of Queensland at the Federal Council.

A scheme for the establishment of offices for the transfer of property and registration of titles in the northern districts will be carried into effect at an early date. The offices have already been appointed. The Government are causing an inquiry to be made into the case of the man Wilson who was committed to the Townsville gaol by Mr. Justice Cooper for contempt of Court. Wilson was the writer of a letter published in the Port Denison Times, commenting on the divorce suit of Buckland v. Buckland, and was brought up before the Full Court, which consists of Mr. Justice Cooper, Mr. Justice Bowen, and Mr. Justice Gavan. The case is evoking a great amount of comment throughout the colony, and it is understood it is the intention of the Government to make the fullest inquiries into it.

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Dr. Hannay and Mr. Lee, the English Congregational delegates, arrived in Adelaide to-day. They are the guests of Chief Justice Way.

A cricket match, Parliament v. the Press, was played on the Oval to-day. The scores were—Parliament, 93; Press, 144, with no wickets down.

At the Criminal Court, to-day, a trooper named Reed was charged with embezzlement, the case having been referred to the first jury disagreed, and the second acquitted him.

The Hospital Board further considered the appointment of the chairman and medical superintendent. An amendment to appoint Dr. Robertson as chairman was ruled out of order. It was resolved to appoint a committee of inquiry. Dr. Stirling, Gardner, Way, and any other professional members of the board attending the medical congress in Melbourne next month will constitute the committee to conduct the investigation.

### NORTHERN TERRITORY.

PORT DARWIN, FRIDAY.

Spreading rains have fallen over the Territory, all anxiety of the miners and pastoralists for the water supply. The country is already showing good spring feed.

### NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

The Mokihikihi Coal Company's property at Westport has been sold to a Sydney syndicate with a capital of £80,000.

### SHOCKING DEATH FROM BURNS.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

About midnight a servant at the residence of Mr. Henry Walker, late Mayor of Collingwood, noticed a smell of burning, and observed Mrs. Walker in a blaze in a room, she gave the alarm. Mr. Walker, finding the door locked, burst in, but as the room was full of smoke he called the servant to bring a bucket of water. He himself ran to an adjoining room, and got some patent fluid for extinguishing fires. On returning he searched for Mrs. Walker. At first he could not find her, but presently, after applying the fire-extinguisher, he made another search and discovered his wife behind a chest of drawers charred and unconscious. A doctor was called in, and he pronounced the case hopeless. Mrs. Walker died an hour afterwards. The deceased owned a separate residence from that of her husband, and it is supposed she was reading in bed, and that the curtains ignited. She was 59 years old.

### THE COMPOSITORS STRIKE IN ADELAIDE.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

At a meeting of the Master Printers' Association and other master printers to-day, a letter was read from the Typographical Society, asking whether the association approved of the recent action of the proprietors of the press. It was unanimously resolved that the meeting entirely approves of the course of action adopted by W. K. Thomas and Co. in regard to their refusal to re-engage the discharged compositor, as demanded by the Typographical Society, and considers the conduct of the society in the matter most arbitrary.

### ELGIN WATCHES.

Elgin Watches are the best in the world, the leading American timekeepers, the most excellent watches for railways. These celebrated watches are unsurpassed for accuracy of timekeeping and excellence of material and workmanship.—[ADV.]

## AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTS.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

### VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The discussion was continued in the Assembly after midnight on the Licensing Bill, the second reading being agreed to after a stout opposition from Sir Bryan O'Loughlin and a few other members. On the bill being committed, although no stone-walling took place, there was full criticism, and the progress of the measure retarded vigorously. Objection was taken to the clause which provides that no writ of certiorari should be applied for to the Supreme Court, the provision being characterized as un-English, and an infringement of the liberty of the subject; but the clause was agreed to by 35 to 13 votes. Ultimately the bill passed, and was reported to the House with amendments. The House rose at 5 minutes past 2.

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Both Houses of Parliament were chiefly occupied to-day with exchanges in reference to the Loan Bill. The Assembly agreed to the Council's amendments in reference to the extension of the term for rabbit-proof fencing on the Victorian borders, the Silverton railways, and a small amount for ammunition, which, it was considered, should be paid for out of the loan. The Council accepted the Assembly's compromise. The amount of the loan has consequently been reduced by slightly over £100,000. In the Legislative Council, the Outer Harbour Bill was practically shelved on a technical point. The Northern Territory Mineral Bill and the Appropriation Bill were passed without opposition. The Assembly accepted the Council's amendment confining the scope of the Mining on Private Property Bill to gold. Both Houses rose at a late hour. The prorogation takes place to-morrow.

### WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, FRIDAY.

The Governor prorogued the Legislative Council at 5 o'clock this afternoon till the 23rd January next. The greater part of the speech referred to the subject of the constitutional change. The Governor said it seemed a matter for grave consideration how the additional outlay the change would entail was to be provided for before the revenue considerably improved. The estimated expenditure for next year was nearly £18,000 in excess of the revenue, and it would only be possible to arrange the finances the following year either by considerable additional taxation or rigid economy. The question the colony had to ask was whether the additional expenses incurred by the constitutional change would be met. However, considering a further development of the revenue was looked for, it was not expected to occur during next year. It appeared to him worthy of consideration whether clause 65 of the Constitution Bill might not be so altered that the Act, instead of coming into force within three months of the date that the Royal assent reaches the colony, should be proclaimed only on an address by the Legislative Council to the Governor. The speech concluded with reference to the public works completed during the existence of the present Council costing considerably more than £1,000,000.

### THE VICTORIAN MINING REPORT.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The report of the Secretary of Mines for the year 1887 has just been issued by the Government Printer. It shows that the yield for the year was 617,751 tons, being the smallest amount for the past 35 years. The quantity of quartz crushed was 780,338 tons, giving an average yield of 67.95 tons per acre. The total area worked upon, including alluvial, is a little over 318 square miles. The produce of the alluvial mines was 228,894 tons. The estimated value of all machinery on alluvial workings was £210,532. The value of machinery used in quartz-mining was £1,474,874. The mining population of the colony was estimated at 25,707, being an increase of 585 since the previous year, 4176 were Chinese. The ordinary wages paid to the miners ranged from £2 to £2 10s. per week. Chinese received much less. The quantity of uncoloured gold exported was 65,682ozs., and of silver 26,034ozs.











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**STAGE RESIDENCE and EXTENSIVE**

CHARMING COTTAGE, SITUATED IN THE  
 IN AREA ABOUT  
 ONE ACRE ONE RODD THIRTY-THREE PERCHES,  
 KNOWN AS  
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 at the corner of  
 NELSON-STREET and WALLIS-STREET,  
 having the following frontage:  
 197ft. to the west side of NELSON-STREET  
 249ft. to the north side of WALLIS-STREET,  
 with a depth of 305ft. 6in. on the western boundary, width at  
 rear about 121ft. 4in.

TITLE, Leasehold, about 67 years to run, FREE OF GROUND  
 RENT.  
 Wellington, New Zealand.

**RICHARDSON and WRENCH** have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, about the end of JANUARY, The above

**DESIRABLE and HIGHLY IMPROVED PROPERTY** in this the most popular and fashionable of our suburbs. Full particulars of which will appear in a future issue.

**INSTECTION INVITED,**  
for which purpose cards can be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

**Terms at sale.** (2593)  
**Messrs. DOWLING and DOWLING, O'Connell-street, Solicitors**

TO SYNDICATES, SPECULATORS, AND CAPITALISTS.

**A GRAND OPPORTUNITY FOR PURCHASING**  
the noted  
**TOMKEI ESTATE,**  
one of the richest  
**AGRICULTURAL PROPERTIES**  
in the famous  
**CLARENCE RIVER DISTRICT**  
is now placed before the **INVESTING PUBLIC** in consequence  
of the necessity that the **EXECUTOR** of the Will of the late  
**CLARK IRVING, Esq.,** should wind up the Estate.

The **TOMKEI ESTATE,** which comprises several Crown grants,  
chiefly early selections by the late Mr. Irving of the since

nearby bank, about 15 miles from Lianora and Corral, and 5 miles below Casino, and has a frontage of upwards of 20 miles to navigable water of the river.

IN AREA it contains as follows:—

About 10,095 ACRES OF FREEHOLD LAND

About 4,246 ACRES OF CONDITIONAL PURCHASED LAND, upon which all the requirements of the act have been complied with, and the land here are as follows:

About 1000 ACRES CROWN LAND, Leasehold and Resumed.

Making up a total of 14,341 ACRES.

nearly the whole of which is of the highest class for agricultural purposes of sugar-cane and other important and profitable growths.

With this Property will be sold about 1400 head of Cattle and 710 head of Blood and Draught Horses, and 4 well-known valuable bires.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

**R**ICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with Mr. J. H. MUNRO, of Trinidad) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, about the month of FEBRUARY next, of which place any notice will be given.

The above extensive and valuable property, full particulars of which will appear in a future issue.

Plan may be inspected and all information obtained on application to the undersigned.

who will give every assistance to intimating buyers to inspect the property and stock. (5008)

**DISTRICT OF WOLLONGONG.**

**THE NOTED**  
**MOUNT KIERA COLLIERY,**  
situated near Wollongong.

**FOR POSITIVE SALE.**

in consequence of the Proprietor, Capt. Osborne, being about to leave the colony to permanently reside in Europe.

This valuable and extensive property consists of  
**1088 ACRES OF FREEHOLD**  
and  
**265 ACRES OF LEASEHOLD**

situated within 3 miles of Woolloomooon Harbour, and communicating therewith by a railway from the mouth of the tunnel on the mine, to the mouth of the tunnel on the shore.

The working-plant, both for mining and for carrying purposes, both by land and sea, is of the most extensive and complete character, including two steam colliers built for the present proprietor.

An Inventory of the Plant may be inspected at the Rooms, where plans of the property and of the underground workings of the mine may be seen, and the fullest information obtained.

**PRELIMINARY NOTICE.**

**RICHARDSON and WRENCH** have received instructions from Captain Osborne, in consequence of his leaving the colony as above stated, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt Street, Sydney, early in the ensuing year, of which due notice will be given.

**THE MOUNT KIRRA COLLIERY** consists of **2530 ACRES** of **COAL LANDS**, forming one block, of which **1886 ACRES** are **FREEHOLD** and **642 ACRES** are **LEASEHOLD**, the latter being held by the following parties:

**79 Acres (Gatree) for a period of 55 years**, from last September, 1886, subject to a royalty of 6d per ton—less than £200 in any one year—no payment to be made in consequence of the coal being sold at a profit.

511 Acres Government Land, at an annual rent of \$51.25 per acre, and a royalty of 5¢ per ton; subject to Governmental rules and regulations as to the employment of labour. Mining was commenced on this block in October, 1887.

52 Acres Under Roads.—Application for these portions has been made and granted, and Lease is expected to issue shortly, which will be subject to the usual Governmental regulations as to rents.

642 Acres.

Under the whole of this extensive property there are prospect pits exist.

FIVE SEAMS OF WORKABLE AND PAYABLE COAL.

As yet only a part of the top team of all has been made to yield up its mineral wealth, and the total area of workings on the surface is small and the plant and equipment is old. There are about 350 acres. The mine has been at work for about 30 years, but only within the last five years have the operations been carried on at any magnitude. The estimated average output for the present year is about 10,000 tons. One shift, at 10,000 tons a month; but with extra getters the quantity might be largely increased, and find an immediate market.

The principal tunnel is in about a mile and a-half, with two cross-cuts running to the north-east, and one due north to tap the 79 acres leasehold previously mentioned.

The railway to the shipping port meets the incline from the tunnel, and runs thence to the Shipping Staiths in Woolongong

The last three-quarters of a mile of the railway being under construction, the value of the same is estimated at £100,000. The length from mouth of tunnel to station is 31 miles.

All the necessary winding and hauling gear is complete, and in first-rate order, and the cost carrying on account of the mine is estimated at £100,000. The mine is a coal mine, capable of working 425 tons capacity, built expressly for the proprietor by Messrs. Nisuli and De Maas, of Rotterdam, in the year 1883. It is estimated that the value of the working plant, without including the two steam engines, is about £20,000. The exact amount will be determined by valuation in the usual way.

TERMS LIBERAL.  
TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. (7356)

**O. T. BURFITT'S AUCTION SALE on THURSDAY**  
next, at 2 o'clock, comprises PROPERTIES at Randwick,

Balmal, Ashfield, Waverley, Merrickville, Forest Lodge, Glocester, Paramatta River, Waterloo, Bankstown, Leichhardt, Murrumbidgee, Sydney, Parramatta, Penrith, Berrima, Murrumbidgee, Murrumbidgee, North Annandale, Guildford, Auburn Park, St. Peters, Lewisham, Croydon, Coogee, Riverstone, George's River Estate. Printed and now ready at the Central Annals Room, near Royal Hotel, C. T. Lisle, 100, George-street.

UNDER A BILL OF SALE.

THIS AFTERNOON, at 3, on the Premises, No. 8, Palace-street, Petersham, near railway station.

Planoford, by Colliard and Co., Auctioneers.

Handsome Marble-top Sideboard.

Drawing-room Nettle, Occasional Tables, Handsome Vases, Oil Paintings, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chest of Drawers, Washstand, Tables, quantity of law and medical books, &c., &c.

**O'BRIEN BROS., 81, Market-street, have been in-**  
**structured by the Mortgagees to sell by auction, on the**  
**above Premises, without reserve.**  
**IN THE ESTATE OF E. LANTON, KING-STREET,**  
**OF THE COUNTY OF LONDON, A**  
**DEBTER, IN BANKRUPTCY.**  
 Under Instructions from the Official Assignee.

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**THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE OF**  
**SUPERIOR WHITE AND REGATTA SHIRTS, UNDER SHIRTS**  
**AND PANTS**  
 High-class Hosiery, Ties, Scarfs, Bowls, Silk Handkerchiefs  
 Belts, Braces, Hats, Caps, Pajama Suits  
 and all other Goods in the Course of  
 Wholesale and Retail Trade.

The Stock-in-Trade and Fittings, Goodwill, and Office Assignee's interest in Lease (if any) will be offered in one line.

TERMS, CASH.

**JAMES RODD and CO.** are instructed by the official assignee in the above estate to sell by auction, on the premises, 91, King-street, on **TUESDAY, December 11, at 11 o'clock**.

the above.

Full particulars at the Rooms.

**WEDNESDAY, December 12, at 11 o'clock.**

Important to Tailors, Manufacturers, Clothiers, Drapers, Store-keepers, Whippers, Dealers, and others.

**EXTENSIVE IMPERATIVE SALE.**

**SUPERIOR TROUSERSINGS, SUMMER COATINGS**  
**MEN'S AND BOYS' READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
**SUITS, HATS, HENKERY, HOSIERY**  
**DRESS STUFFS, UNDERCLOTHING, CORSETS**  
**MILLINERY, HARRADANIE'S, GLOVES, SHOES**  
**ZEPHYR COSTUMES, PINAFOROS, APRONS**  
**MANCHESTER AND LINEN GOODS, GENERAL DRAPERY.**

Terms, liberal, at sale.

**JAMES RODD** and **CO.** will sell by auction, at their  
rooms, 7, Wyward-street, on **WEDNESDAY, December**  
**12, at 11 o'clock,**  
The above.  
Full particulars in Tuesday's issue.

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**TO-DAY, Parramatta-road** Frontage, **Fairbairn,**  
at 3 p.m., easy terms. **Richardson and Wrench.** (2674)

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**GRANTHAM ESTATE.**—Free Train, next **SATUR-**  
**DAY.** Plans, 78, Pitt-street.



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**SALE ON THE GROUND.**

**NEXT SATURDAY.**

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Splendid Elevation.

Handy to Kogarah Station.

Close to Cutlers Station.

**GOOD VIEWS.**

**THE VENDORS.**

**THE IMPERIAL BUILDING,**

**DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited**  
(W. P. Smith, manager),  
171, PITT-STREET,  
will

**ADVANCE LIBERALLY**  
on build.

**FREE TRIP TICKETS**  
and 1000 lbs  
from Vendors, or  
GARRARD HAMILTON,  
76, PITT-STREET.

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11,**  
at half-past 2 o'clock.

To Investors, Sugar-planters, Speculators, and others.

**PYRAMID SUGAR PLANTATION.**

**HAMILTON and FORRESTER** have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, corner of Flinders and Bond-streets, Melbourne, on

**THURSDAY, December 11, 1884,**  
at half-past 2 o'clock,

The Pyramid Sugar Plantation.

The Pyramid Sugar Plantation is situated on the Mulgrave River, about 15 miles from a farm, Queensland, and 15 miles from Hamilton, about 10 miles from Redbank or Edithvale.

The Estate comprises about 3400 acres of freehold land, of which 654 acres are under crop for next year, 100 acres ready for planting, the remaining 2800 acres being made sugar land, volcanic soil, rich and friable, equal to any in Queensland.

Title, certificate.

**MILL.**

The millstone plant comprises double crushing mill, by rollers, Elliot, and Fryer, vacuum pan, substation, triple oil filter press, &c., and a large tank of taking of a crop of 2000 per acre during the season. It is complete and of splendid work order.

**THE HOMESTEAD.**

Tramway nearly five miles of Decaturville, 14th, 20th, and 21st miles, with 50 available cane trees, all in thorough work order.

An ample supply of labour, consisting of 210 hands, is available, recently arrived from the Colonies.

Owing to the exceptionally dry season, the crop has been cut this year, but in average years the yield exceeds 100 tons of sugar per acre, and the quality of the sugar is first-class. It realises the highest prices in the market.

**THE PROPERTY**  
is in  
**ABSOLUTE SALE,**  
on  
**EASY TERMS,**  
and affords an opportunity for investment seldom available.

Orders to inspect and all particulars can be obtained from the

**AUCTIONEER,** at his office,  
corner of Flinders and Bond-streets, Melbourne.

**PRELIMINARY NOTICE.**

**IMPORTANT SALE OF FREEHOLD ESTATE IN**  
**RIVERINA.**

**NTANG.**

**DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited** (in conjunction with Messrs. Dalgety, Dalziel, and Moore, who have been the surviving partner and the executors of the late David Dalgety) offer for positive sale by auction to realise the estate of a deceased partner, at their Storehouse, 50 and 52, Bourke-street, West, on a day to be hereafter named.

The above estate comprises the Edwards River Estate, which it has a frontage of 28 miles, consisting of 31,167 acres freehold land, 100,000 ditto leasehold, 28,000 acres resumed areas with 54,500 sheep, cattle, horses, &c.

For further particulars apply to

**DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited,**  
50 and 52, Bourke-street, West, Melbourne.

**ERTHERS, HARGREAVE, and MAX,**  
42, William-street, Melbourne.

**FOR POSITIVE SALE**  
by  
**AUCTION.**

To Close Partnership Account.

**DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited,** have received instructions from Messrs. O'Donnell and Bury to sell by **AUCTION** at their Storehouse, Bourke-street, West, on **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1884,**

**WILLARA STATION,**  
situated on the Paroo River, 140 miles northwest of Bourke, N. S. W., comprising

896 acres of freehold land  
100,000 ditto C. P. ditto coming on 100,000 ditto leasehold  
95,000 ditto resumed.

Total 185,256 acres, more or less.

The country consists of mulla, open box country, and mulla. It has a double frontage of 10 miles to the Paroo River, which is watered by the Paroo and the Paroo and Paroo rivers. There is also a well-cultivated watercourse, situated about 15 miles back from the river. The river is a good one, and the water is very pure. The buildings consist of a comfortable dwelling-house, with the main residence, washhouse, woodshed, &c.

There is also a complete securing plant, with engine and fuel pumps.

The stock consists of

40,000 sheep  
700 cattle  
700 horses.

Also, at the same time and place, on account of the same owner, the following

**PROPERTIES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WILLARA.**

Perchance Lot 10, section 3, consisting of 7 rods of land, which is watered by the Paroo and the Paroo and Paroo rivers. It is situated at the corner of the Paroo and the Paroo and Paroo rivers. There is also a well-cultivated watercourse, situated about 15 miles back from the river. The river is a good one, and the water is very pure. The buildings consist of a comfortable dwelling-house, with the main residence, washhouse, woodshed, &c.

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